## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN RE: NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE PLAYERS' CONCUSSION INJURY LITIGATION MDL No. 2323

This relates to:

Plaintiffs' Master Administrative Long-Form Complaint and Eric Allen, et al. v NFL, USDC, EDPA, No. 12-cv-1281

**JOHN TICE** 

SHORT FORM COMPLAINT

IN RE: NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE PLAYERS' CONCUSSION INJURY LITIGATION

JURY TRIAL DEMANDED

## **SHORT FORM COMPLAINT**

- 1. Plaintiffs, **JOHN TICE**, and Plaintiff's Spouse **BARBARA TICE**, bring this civil action as a related action in the matter entitled IN RE: NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE PLAYERS' CONCUSSION INJURY LITIGATION, MDL No. 2323.
- 2. Plaintiff and Plaintiff's Spouse are filing this short form complaint as required by this Court's Case Management Order No. 2, filed April 26, 2012.
- 3. Plaintiff and Plaintiff's Spouse, incorporate by reference the allegations (as designated below) of the Master Administrative Long-Form Complaint, as may be amended, as if fully set forth at length in this Short Form Complaint.
  - 4. NOT APPLICABLE

- 5. Plaintiff, **JOHN TICE**, is a resident and citizen of Highland Falls, New York and claims damages as set forth below.
- 6. Plaintiff's spouse, **BARBARA TICE**, is a resident and citizen of Highland Falls, New York, and claims damages as a result of loss of consortium proximately caused by the harm suffered by her Plaintiff husband.
- 7. On information and belief, the Plaintiff sustained repetitive, traumatic sub-concussive and/or concussive head impacts during NFL games and/or practices. On information and belief, Plaintiff suffers from symptoms of brain injury caused by the repetitive, traumatic sub-concussive and/or concussive head impacts the Plaintiff sustained during NFL games and/or practices. On information and belief, the Plaintiff's symptoms arise from injuries that are latent and have developed and continue to develop over time.
- 8. The original complaint by Plaintiff(s) in this matter was filed in United States
  District Court, Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

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Plaint	Plaintiff claims damages as a result of [check all that apply]:			
<u>X</u>	Injury to Herself/Himself			
<u>X</u>	Injury to the Person Represented			
	Wrongful Death			
	Survivorship Action			
<u>X</u>	Economic Loss			
	Loss of Services			

	Loss of Consortium	
10.	As a result of the injuries to her husband,, Plaint	iff's
Spouse,	, suffers from a loss of consortium, including the	
following in	juries:	
<u>X</u>	loss of marital services;	
<u>X</u>	loss of companionship, affection or society;	
<u>X</u>	loss of support; and	
<u>X</u>	monetary losses in the form of unreimbursed costs she has had to expend for the	e
healt	th care and personal care of her husband.	
11.	X Plaintiff and Plaintiff's Spouse, reserve the right to object to federal	
jurisdiction.		
	<u>DEFENDANTS</u>	
12.	Plaintiff and Plaintiff's Spouse, bring this case against the following Defenda	nts
in this action	n [check all that apply]:	
	X National Football League	
	X NFL Properties, LLC	
	Riddell, Inc.	
	All American Sports, Inc. (d/b/a Riddell Sports Group, Inc.)	

			Riddell Sports Group, Inc.
		And Andrews	Easton-Bell Sports, Inc.
			Easton-Bell Sports, LLC
			EB Sports Corporation
			RBG Holdings Corporation
	13.	NOT A	PPLICABLE
	14.	NOT A	APPLICABLE
	15.	Plaintif	ff played in X the National Football League ("NFL") and/or in the
Amer	ican Fo	otball Le	ague ("AFL") during 1983-92 for the following teams:
	New (	Orleans S	Saints
			CAUSES OF ACTION
	16.	Plainti	ff herein adopts by reference the following Counts of the Master
Admi	nistrativ	e Long-	Form Complaint, along with the factual allegations incorporated by
refere	nce in t	hose Cou	ants [check all that apply]:
		<u>X</u>	Count I (Action for Declaratory Relief – Liability (Against the NFL))
		<u>X</u>	Count II (Medical Monitoring (Against the NFL))
			Count III (Wrongful Death and Survival Actions (Against the NFL))
		<u>X</u>	Count IV (Fraudulent Concealment (Against the NFL))

<u>X</u>	Count V (Fraud (Against the NFL))
<u>X</u>	Count VI (Negligent Misrepresentation (Against the NFL))
<u>X</u>	Count VII (Negligence Pre-1968 (Against the NFL))
<u>X</u>	Count VIII (Negligence Post-1968 (Against the NFL))
<u>X</u>	Count IX (Negligence 1987-1993 (Against the NFL))
<u>X</u>	Count X (Negligence Post-1994 (Against the NFL))
X	Count XI (Loss of Consortium (Against the NFL))
<u>X</u>	Count XII (Negligent Hiring (Against the NFL))
<u>X</u>	Count XIII (Negligent Retention (Against the NFL))
_	Count XIV (Strict Liability for Design Defect (Against the Riddell Defendants))
	Count XV (Strict Liability for Manufacturing Defect (Against the Riddell Defendants))
	Count XVI (Failure to Warn (Against the Riddell Defendants))
	Count XVII (Negligence (Against the Riddell Defendants))
<u>X</u>	Count XVIII (Civil Conspiracy/Fraudulent Concealment (Against All Defendants))

17. Plaintiff asserts the following additional causes of action [write in or attach]:

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PRAYER FOR RELIEF				
WHEREFORE, Plaintiff and Plaintiff's Spouse, pray for judgment as follows:				
A. An award of compensatory damages, the amount of which will be determined at trial;				
B. For punitive and exemplary damages as applicable;				
C. For all applicable statutory damages of the state whose laws will govern this action;				
D. For medical monitoring, whether denominated as damages or in the form of equitable				
relief;				
E. For an award of attorneys' fees and costs;				
F. An award of prejudgment interest and costs of suit; and				
G. An award of such other and further relief as the Court deems just and proper.				
JURY DEMANDED				
Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 38, Plaintiff(s) hereby demand(s) a trial by				
jury.				

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:

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